

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE

Wednesday, February 10, 1897.

LOCAL BRIEF.

The telephone line has been completed.

Whoever works the hardest will get the prize.

What progress have you made in forming words?

Judge O. W. Buchanan will preside at the approaching term of Court. This will be his first term as Judge at his old home.

Quite a number of our subscribers have started to form words. The sooner you start the sooner you will have a long list.

On Monday we heard that Mr. B. H. Robertson has had another stroke of paralysis and is in a very critical condition.

An old man claiming to be a phreologist was in town a few days ago. A good many persons had their heads "phreologized."

The system of water works at the factory, among other specially good features of the enterprise, is about as near perfect as it could be made.

Taxpayers should not forget that the return of their property must be made to the Auditor by the 20th of this month, otherwise a penalty will attach.

Caldwell & Ruff present our readers with an attractive advertisement this morning. They offer some bargains for this month. They have a-thing you want in the dry goods line.

The work on the operatives houses is going rapidly forward at the factory. These are neat and substantial cottages. Some of them are very cozy, and will make comfortable residences.

Rev. Mr. Ferris being absent, his pulpit was filled on Sunday by Rev. J. P. Isenhour, who preached in the morning, and also at the union service, which was held at the Baptist Church on Sunday night.

Rev. Jabez Ferris presided in the Baptist Church at Rock Hill on Sunday. He was invited by the congregation to preach for them, as they are without a pastor at present. Mr. Ferris returned to Winoosboro on Monday.

Miss Annie Richardson, of Simpson's, was married at Ridgeway on the 20th of January to Mr. G. H. Smith, of Ridgeway. The ceremony was performed at the Manse by the Rev. J. G. Herndon, pastor of the Ridgeway Presbyterian Church.

Mr. J. M. Beatty and his entire family have been sick with the grippe, but we are glad to report them all well again. Mr. Beatty was confined to the house for about a month, and was out at his place of business on Wednesday for the first time since his sickness.

We hope that there will be no misunderstanding about the rules governing our word contest. Any subscriber, who will pay his subscription to 1 January 1898, may send in a list of words formed from the letters in Education, under the rules. But the list may be the work of any one.

Mr. J. W. Hanahan has requested the railroad authorities to run their trains slowly through town. It is strictly against the town ordinance for trains to run at full speed through town, but it is a law that is seldom observed it seems. Where the railroad crosses public streets and runs through the center of a town, lives are frequently endangered by the fast train. It is hoped that Mr. Hanahan's request will be complied with.

The 14th of February will be Saint Valentine's Day, and will be observed this year by the young folks as it has been every year for many centuries by the sending of valentines, either pretty dainty ones with the sweetest and most sentimental verses or comic ones, which are the delight of the small boy. McMaster Co. are fully prepared to suit you when you are ready to buy your valentines, as they have a full line of every kind that you could wish.

The working force at the Winoosboro Granite Quarry has been greatly increased, twenty workmen having been sent down. This increase of force has been made so that monumental work might be carried on. They are operating the Anderson tunnel rock, and after awhile a railroad will be run from the Winoosboro quarry to the Anderson quarry. Preparations are being made for the survey now. The monuments will be shipped to Northern cities. This Anderson rock is said to be the finest granite in the world.

Dr. Pixley, originally from Ohio, but lately of New York, a very intelligent and cultured gentleman, will move with his family to Farmington, Gen. At Bratton's plantation, near White Oak, and will manage a stock farm. It is gratifying to have such people come among us and teach us the more progressive ways of the North and Northwest. General Bratton's place is particularly well adapted for this purpose and we hope that Dr. Pixley will not only succeed himself, but that his success will induce others to settle among us. When once the stream of immigration is turned this way, there will be no trouble in having our waste places filled up.

One of the most enjoyable Germans of the season was held on Friday night in the army. The Chester band furnished splendid music and dancing was continued until about half-past twelve o'clock. Quite a number of couples took part in the German, and the young people enjoyed themselves even more than usual, for it is the first dance that has been given by the young people for quite a while. The Chester band kindly offered to furnish music for a dance free of charge, their expenses only being paid, and the offer was gladly taken up by the young people. The German was led by Mr. E. W. Hanahan, and the chaperones were Mrs. J. Q. Davis, Mrs. J. N. Neil and Mrs. J. M. Stewart.

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PERSONAL.

Mr. J. H. Cummings spent Sunday in town.

Mrs. Jennie Boag and her son, Orr, are visiting in Augusta.

Messrs. Scott and Albert Douglass and Miss Colley Heyward have returned to Columbia.

Mr. A. L. Scruggs left for Plains, in Chesterfield County, on a visit to his brother, Rev. T. W. Scruggs.

Miss Blodgett Malone, after a short visit to Miss Charlotte Allison, has returned to her home in Columbia.

Miss Ella Doty came down from Blackstock on Wednesday, where she has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Gerig left on Monday night for Ocala, Florida, where they will visit their sons, Messrs. Albert and J. J. Gerig.

Mrs. G. H. McMaster has gone to Mar's Bluff to attend the wedding of her niece, Miss Mary Scott, to Mr. W. R. Barringer, which takes place on Wednesday, the 10th. Miss Scott is well known here, having visited in Winoosboro quite often, and has many warm friends among our people.

TO SUBSCRIBERS.

Read the label on your paper, and you can find out exactly how much you owe on your subscription. The year, month and date printed on the label indicates when your subscription expired. A remittance from those in arrears will be appreciated.

Our people are growing more and more in the habit of looking to McMaster Co. Druggists, for the latest and best of everything in the drug line. They sell Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, famous for its cures of bad colds, croup and whooping cough. When in need of such a medicine give this remedy a trial and you will be more than pleased with the result.

FAIRFIELD AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

The Fairfield Agricultural Society will meet on Saturday, February 20, at 10 o'clock, in Winoosboro, for reorganization. We hope that as many will attend as can conveniently do so, and that each section of the county will be represented.

Samuel Cathcart, Jr., President.

Hugh S. Wylie, Secretary.

SECOND WEEK JURORS.

The following is a list of the second week jurors drawn for the February term of Court:

Jno. M. McLure, R. V. Bray, S. G. Huey, W. H. Banks, J. D. Henson, W. T. McCrorey, R. G. Simonton, T. A. J. Mobley, R. B. Lewis, J. M. Lemmon, Sr., H. G. Wylie, J. S. Lyman, S. F. Castler, J. D. Allen, J. B. Frazier, A. F. Peay, Sr., J. A. Mobley, B. R. Castles, R. E. Young, C. A. Abell, G. W. Moore, Sr., J. R. Shedd, Jas. Ferrell, Thos. Boulware, D. D. Gordon, W. S. Stevenson, R. W. Crowder, R. C. Dove, M. Y. Bankhead, G. F. Andrews, H. C. C. man, W. T. Scott, W. P. Blair, E. W. Kennedy, W. H. Robinson, S. P. Thomas.

THE WORD-CONTEST APPROVED.

Mr. Editor: I have read with interest your offer of a prize to the subscriber who forms the greatest number of words from the letters in Education. I think that your offer is exceedingly liberal, and there should be a great many contestants. The word from which the letters are taken is happily chosen, for it will be educating in itself to indulge in the word study, to say nothing of the chance of winning a prize in June, just at the time when money is scarce. Should a farmer get a hundred dollars at that season, it will help him materially in making his crop.

A MISSIONARY'S MISFORTUNE.

The sad news of Dr. J. M. McCauley's illness and threatening blindness, amid his labor in Japan, has just been received by his friends in this country. Dr. McCauley was sent out by the Presbyterian Board of Missions to Bangkok, Siam, in 1877. He was married in that city to Miss Jennie C. Kaser, a teacher and missionary also located there. His health failed and on the journey home he stopped in Tokyo, Japan, for a few months. Good health rapidly returning, he was requested to accept a professorship in the Meiji Gakuen (Presbyterian College) in Tokyo. He has filled this position since 1880 until last month, when his physician decided that blindness was coming on. He is being brought to America for treatment with a hope of a restoration of sight.

Mrs. McCauley is also a valuable teacher and has translated a number of English works into the Japanese language, especially the Presbyterian Shorter Catechism.

Dr. and Mrs. McCauley have entertained many distinguished American travelers in their beautiful home in the Japanese capital.

Mr. Kuser, who is spending the winter in our town, is a brother of this distinguished lady missionary.

Why will you buy bitter nauseating tonics when GRIFFIN'S TASTELESS CHILL Tonic is as pleasant as Lemon Syrup. Your druggist is authorized to refund the money in every case where it fails to cure. Price, 50 cents.

THE AMERICAN SOLDIER.

Ex-Judge T. J. Mackey delivered his lecture to a fairly large audience in the court house on Tuesday evening. He is looking remarkably well, and talks as fluently and interestingly as ever. His subject, "The American Soldier," was well handled, sometimes pathetically and sometimes humorously. He spoke of the American soldier as "contrasting" from the soldier of other nations. He was more like the French soldier than any other, though most people would not think so. The French soldier wore loose, negligee uniforms. The German soldier was stiff-faced, and according to Judge Mackey worse creased. The lecture was filled with thrilling incidents of the late war, without regard to whether the heroes were Federal or Confederates. The Judge predicted a war with Spain, and said that in sixty days the United States would recognize the belligerency of Cuba. He thought that a war with Federal and Confederates marching under one flag would unite the North and South; that history taught us that no people who had been estranged by civil war were ever again thoroughly harmonized until they joined forces in another war under the same flag.

DEATH OF WILLIAM P. GIBSON.

The many friends of Mr. William P. Gibson were very much shocked to hear of his very sudden death, which occurred on Thursday morning, at his home near Wallaceville. He was apparently in his usual health, and had intended going to Columbia on horseback Wednesday. He had his horse saddled prepared to take the trip, but soon began to complain of feeling badly and decided not to go to Columbia, though nothing seriously wrong with him was suspected. A physician sent him some medicine on Wednesday and Wednesday night his family became so much alarmed that Dr. McKinsty was summoned. Mr. Gibson died shortly after the doctor's arrival, at 4 o'clock on Thursday morning. It is thought that he had a congestive chill.

Perhaps no man was more generally known in the county than W. P. Gibson. He took an active part in public matters, but was never a candidate for any public office. He was a member of the Methodist Church and a devoted and zealous worker in all things pertaining to his church.

Mr. Gibson was a gallant Confederate soldier and enjoyed narrating the life of a soldier. He was a son of the late Stephen Gibson and belonged to an old Fairfield family. He was buried at Bethel Church on Friday. The deceased leaves a widow to mourn his death.

DEATH OF MR. E. H. HARRISON.

It is with profound sorrow that I chronicle the death of Mr. E. H. Harrison, which occurred at his home in Texarkana, Texas, on Monday, the 25th ult., at 4 o'clock p. m. He was first taken with la grippe which developed into typhoid fever. The deceased was a former resident of Fairfield County, having moved from here to Texas in 1870. He was a son of the late Capt. E. H. Harrison, of this section. He leaves a wife and eight children to mourn his loss; also three brothers and two sisters, viz., Mr. J. D. Harrison, Mrs. S. L. Dixon and Mrs. R. B. Lewis, of Longtown; Mr. L. S. Harrison, of Thomasville, Ga., and Mr. R. W. Harrison, of Jonesboro, Arkansas.

Longtown, Feb. 6, 1897.

FOR OVER FIFTY YEARS.

Mrs. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhea. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take no other kind.

BLACKSTOCK BUDGETS.

We were shocked to learn the sad news of the sudden death of Mr. George Hogan on Saturday, January 30th, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the age of 83 years. His remains were taken to Catholic Presbyterian Church for burial. He was sick for a few days and was not thought to be seriously ill until near the end. He took sick about three weeks ago with grippe and recovered, and a week he took sick again and a doctor could not be procured. He was visiting his daughter Mrs. J. C. Mackorell, of Blackstock. Mr. Hogan leaves several sons and daughters and a number of friends to mourn his loss. The following are the sons and daughter living in our country, Mr. James and David Hogan, of Morgantown, and Mrs. J. C. Mackorell, of Blackstock, S. C.

It was the fate of Mr. Victor Ward, our railroad agent, to be absent from his office a few days to see some one else married, and not himself.

Rev. Mr. Ingraham, of the Methodist Church, filled the Presbyterian pulpit last Sunday night, Rev. Mr. Kirkpatrick being absent at Yorkville, S. C., assisting Rev. J. R. Nevill.

The Legislature, or part of the members, passed through our town Saturday on their way to the reception at the Winthrop Normal College. It is said that one of Chester's representatives came on to Blackstock on his way home and thought it was Chester and got off at Blackstock. What do you think of that?

February 2, 1897.

Simon S. Hartman, of Tunnelton, West Va., has been subjected to attacks of colic about once a year, and would have to call a doctor and then suffer for about twelve hours as much as some do when they die. He was taken recently just the same as at other times, and concluded to try Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He says: "I took a dose of it and it gave me relief in five minutes. It is more than anything else I have ever done for me." For sale by McMaster Co., Druggists.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

CEDAR CREEK RIFLES.

The following is a roll of the above company, which was one of the first companies to organize in Fairfield County:

OFFICERS.

John R. Harrison, Captain.
John L. Kennedy, 2nd Lieutenant.
W. A. Kennedy, 2nd Lieutenant.
J. A. Hinnant, 3rd Lieutenant.
R. W. Kennedy, 1st Sergeant.
S. Y. Rosborough, 2nd Sergeant.
J. R. Delaney, 3rd Sergeant.
A. Hays, 4th Sergeant.
J. A. Ross, 5th Sergeant.
John A. Brown, 1st Corporal.
J. A. Kennedy, 2nd Corporal.
B. F. Bryant, 3rd Corporal.
J. M. Dinkley, 4th Corporal.
S. W. Broom, 5th Corporal.
J. S. Bagley, 6th Corporal.

PRIVATE.

Wm. Beckham, Wm. Bragwell, J. W. Broom, S. W. Broom, Chas. Broom, Saml. H. Cooke, Joe Cotton, Walter Collins, Jas. Cresswell, Wm. Deming, Jas. Downing, D. S. Douglass, J. Dunlap, Jos. Dunlap, A. S. Dunlap, S. P. Dunlap, Wm. Deming, N. H. Fletcher, J. W. Farmer, Danl. Fenley, Enoch Freeman, J. L. Houghman, R. Hood, H. E. Hood, S. Y. Hood, Jas. L. Huffteller, Mose Hollis, Chas. Hollis, John Hollis, Edl. Harrison, John Hendrix, J. S. Hendrix, B. N. Hays, Wm. N. Lard, Danl. Miller, J. C. Miller, A. C. Miller, John D. O'Neil, J. N. Entzinger, J. D. Palmer, J. W. Robinson, J. T. Robinson, W. R. Robinson, Thos. Robinson, Jas. F. Rosborough, E. F. Rosborough, Saml. Rosborough, R. A. Smith, Wm. H. Smith, Wm. Smith, Isiah Neely, R. Neely, S. P. Tidwell, David Tidwell, W. J. Vaughn, J. M. Vaughn, W. P. Wyrick, H. Williams, Thos. B. Walker, T. R. Richards, John Richardson.

THROW AWAY HIS CANES.

Mr. D. Wiley, ex-postmaster, Black Creek, N. Y., was so badly afflicted with rheumatism that he was only able to hobble around with canes, and even then it caused him great pain. After using Chamberlain's Pain Balm he was so much improved that he threw away his canes. He says this liniment did him more good than all other medicines and treatment put together. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by McMaster Co., Druggists.

BOCKLICK BLUEBIRDS.

A great many have had grip, and are about over with it, and are getting ready for a big crop this year.

The blue birds have made their appearance. Mr. R. L. Hallford, the great hunter of Bocklick, reports having seen several at different times. Mr. T. E. Smith has seen a good many to-day. Blue birds and old sowings are the topic of conversation.

The losses are still dying in this section. A good many have lost all they had for another year.

The cold weather has done considerable damage to gardens. It has been so wet that very little plowing has been done. Mr. J. L. Smith has been at work on the river bottoms in spite of bad weather.

The new postoffice is a great advantage in this section.

Mr. W. C. Peay has carried his lovely bird to her own cage. February 2, 1897.

BLITHEWOOD DOTS.

The grip has not slighted Blithe-wood. Nearly everybody is just taking it, has it, or is just recovering from it. Fortunately there have been no fatal cases. The severe weather which we have had has been very much against this disease.

We are glad to see the pleasant weather again. Farmers have begun to work in their farms, and everything shows a forecast of spring.

Blithe-wood is growing soon. A new store has been put up, by the Landlords, on the corner of Main and McNulty Streets. Several other buildings have gone up recently.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. James A. Bookhardt, who has been suffering from a severe cold, is better.

Mr. Poore is very unwell again. Mrs. Elizabeth Blain, who has been visiting relatives in Abbeville for the past few months, is home again.

Mr. James R. Kennedy came home from Lancaster, with grip, a week or so ago. Baxter has gone to Columbia. February 5, 1897. Sweet Peas.

WHITE OAK ITEMS.

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THE LADIES' HOME JOURNAL FOR FEBRUARY.

The February Ladies' Home Journal opens with a striking article—"The Kossuth Road Up Broadway"—the fourth of its "Great Personal Events" series. In it Park Godwin recalls the unprecedented demonstration and enthusiasm with which the Hungarian exile was welcomed to New York; also his patriotic but vain mission to this country. Charles Dana Gibson's second drawing of Dickens' people—portraying Dick Swiveller and The Marchioness—worthily occupies a prominent place in the excellent magazine. The splendor and sumptuousness which marked the festivities incident to a double Royal wedding in the Imperial Palace of the German capital is glowingly reflected in "A Page at the Berlin Court." In a delightful vein Edward Page Gaston writes of the vicissitudes of Mexico, and the restraining barriers that social customs of that land interpose between lovers during courtship. An article that will appeal to women is Mrs. Talcott Williams' sketch of "The Most Famous Cook in America." The February Journal also presents the first of Mrs. S. T. Torrey's Cooking Lessons—"Ideal Cooking" and "How to Make Snaps." These are the initial contributions to the department she will hereafter conduct in the Journal—the only publication for which she writes. "The State and House of Representatives" is the subject of Representative Harrison's "This Country of Our" paper, and he expresses himself very forcibly upon several points. Mr. Edward W. Bok writes in vigorous denunciation of the "wispy-washy" books to be found in Sunday-school libraries, and points an easy way to secure better literature for Sunday-school children. "Daughters of Our Presidents" is an attractive series of sketches of surviving daughters of Chief Executives, and "The Origin of Our Popular Songs," by William George Jordan, relates the interesting circumstances in connection with the writing of many of our favorite melodies. Dwight L. Moody addresses his Bible Class on Atonement, and Ruth Ashmore writes a helpful article addressed to girls on "Casting the First Stone." An admirable sketch by Miss Mary E. Wilkins portrays "A Quilting Bee in Our Village" with charming fidelity. "The Bargain Who Moved Paradise," Herbert D. Ward's serial, is fairly overflowing with humorous interest as it is unfolded. There are also articles on amateur photography, sweet pea culture, plans for a \$1500 Summer College, matters pertaining to dress and the usual departments. The magazine is bon d'ess in the scope and interest of its articles. By The Curtis Publishing Company Philadelphia. One dollar per copy; ten cents per copy.

Free Pills.

Send your address to H. E. Bucken & Co., Chicago, and get a sample box of Dr. King's Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and Liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to the stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c. per box. Sold by McMaster & Co., Druggists.

FEASTERS' FACTS.

On last Tuesday evening Mr. Edward Coleman, of Alabama, arrived at Shelton station, and in company with Rev. D. B. Clayton, wended his way to the residence of Mr. John A. F. Coleman, where Miss Jennie, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. F. Coleman, and Mr. Edna Coleman, of Alabama, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. The ceremony was performed by Rev. D. B. Clayton, of Columbia. Miss Jennie has a large circle of acquaintances and relatives to whom she has endeared herself by her many noble traits of character. She was one of Feastersville's most popular young ladies. Mr. Coleman's parents were formerly residents of this State. We congratulate them.

Since my last communication Miss Mary Crosby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Crosby, and another one of Feastersville's most popular young ladies returned from Converse College, where she completed a course in some of the branches taught in that institution.

The farmers of this section are making preparations to plant a big crop. Mr. H. A. Stevenson, one of Crosbyville's most enterprising farmers, gained one hundred pounds of lint from two hundred and thirty pounds of seed cotton, which is an average of about forty-two and one-half pounds of lint cotton to the hundred pounds of seed cotton. Pretty good yield for the Princeton, which always turns out more lint to the hundred than almost any other cotton.

Your humble scribe took a trip not long since through the Blackstock country. The grip has been quite prevalent in that section. Mr. L. R. Lee, who has been quite sick recently, with the grip, is now up and able to attend to his farm, which gives evidence of being well managed. From there we went to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Feaster's hospitable home, where a few hours were spent in very pleasant conversation. Both Mr. and Mrs. Feaster have been ill with the grip. They are now convalescent. We next stopped at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin James and were there the recipients of their hospitality.

The mutual interchange of civilities, snip and nip was announced, and your scribe partook of the delicious viands so well prepared by our hostess. There we met Miss Allie May Kerr, one of Greenwood's most accomplished and popular young ladies.

She is a daughter of Mr. W. H. Kerr. She is a clerk of Court, who has friends and acquaintances throughout the county.

Mr. Moseby Cameron has moved near the residence of Mr. D. P. Crosby. Mr. Cameron is engaged in farm work with Mr. Crosby. We are glad to have him in our midst again.

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THE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

An Essay by S. H. Booth Delivered at a recent Meeting of the Teachers' Association, at Mt Zion College.

A Teachers' Association when rightly used is of inestimable benefit to all who participate in its work. Men of every profession need to know each other and exchange views in order to succeed. This is especially true of teachers in our public schools. As soon as one moves out another takes his place. It is of vast importance that the latter should know the former